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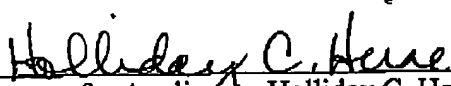
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Date: June 8, 2006

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Docket No.: MBP-009XX

Sir:

In re application of: Manfred Schawaller et al.

Entitled: METHOD FOR THE DETERMINATION OF SUBSTANCES USING THE
 EVANESCENCE FIELD METHOD

Transmitted herewith is an Election and Response to Office Action in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- ☐ This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$) per §1.17(e).
☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on per §1.116.

- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for month is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$) per §1.17.

- ☒ In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.

- ☒ Other: Attachments A, B, C and D

CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT:	MINUS PRIOR PAID CLAIMS:	EQUALS PRESENT EXTRA CLAIMS:	RATE:	ADDITIONAL FEE:
Independent	1 - 3	= 0	x \$200.00 =	0
Total	29 - 35	= 0	x \$ 50.00 =	0
[] Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation)			+ \$360.00 =	0
SUBTOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				0
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				0

- ☒ No additional fee. ☐ The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$) for the cost of same.

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AMENDMENT

Via Facsimile
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 8, 2006, please
amend the above-identified application as follows.

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